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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

State. Governor—S. W. PENNYPACKER. Lieutenant Governor—W. M. BROWN. Secretary of Internal Affairs—ISAAC B. BROWN.

Legislative. First District—JOHN SCHUELER, JR. Second District—EDWARD JAMES. Third District—EDWARD JAMES. Fourth District—P. A. PHILBIN.

All friends of The Tribune, in every part of the county, are requested to aid us in collecting tonight's returns.

Last Word to Voters.

THE LAST word to voters is to be sure to vote. It can be taken for granted that those who are actuated in this campaign by envy, revenge or ingratitude will be on hand early and do all they can to defeat William Connell.

We think it is generally recognized by intelligent Republicans that of the two men now running for congress one of whom must be nominated as a result of this evening's primaries—William Connell is best equipped by experience, practical ability and influential touch with party leaders to do effective work for the district at Washington.

Men with grievances have no right to expect the whole district to suffer for them. Ignore the sore-toe brigade today and renominate the congressman who can be elected.

Character Paramount.

NO UTTERANCES of the president of the United States in his Fourth of July speech in Pittsburg were more emphatic and insistent than those in which he demanded that above every other need of the nation was that the administrators of the laws of the land should be men of character.

Where national issues are at stake it does not pay to let spite or prejudice sway judgment. Vote for Connell and competency.

The eyes of the state are upon today's primaries. Let them see a victory of common sense over sorcery and sycophancy.

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gun-boats. If American progress and the stability of American institutions decay it will be due to the weakening of character in the men called to represent the nation thought and purpose.

But the truth is applicable just as truly in private life. The world needs character a great deal more than it needs brilliant intellects.

President Roosevelt has demonstrated a new power for progressive leadership in the terse exordium upon character contained in his Fourth of July oration.

The district attorney of Nassau county, L. I., has solved the question of dealing with the reckless automobile drivers who endanger life with their "white ghosts," "red devils," "yellow bumpers," etc.

On a local page will be found an account of the progress of the work of constructing the new "Cannon Ball" electric road which is counted upon to add very materially to the upbuilding of Scranton and the Lackawanna valley.

The terror of Aguinaldo at being deprived of his guard of United States soldiers is one of the most impressive arguments that could be given to show the necessity of American control if order is to be maintained in the Philippines.

The monuments to William Connell's friendship for labor dot our valley. He is a friend in deed and need. His friendship is more than mouth deep.

Gently intimate to Brother Farr that a young man who has already had a goodly share of political preferment can sometimes afford to wait.

If you want to defeat William Connell, do it with a man who stands for something in the community above shallow demagogism.

In case of the modern automobile the pedestrian often needs to "stop, look and listen," and get on the other side of the fence.

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The Democrats want Mr. Farr nominated. Disappoint them.

Incidentally just give one exemplary kick at ingrate politics.

A moment at the polls will suffice. It takes ballots to win.

Let the heathen rage, and vote for William Connell.

Beware of last cards. They never deserve credence.

Choose a nominee for congress who can be elected.

Vote for Connell and competency.

A FEW POINTS FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF WORKINGMEN.

that he promoted the bill at Harrisburg for eight hours' day, and at the same time we find that he pays men on his new plot, etc., at a wage rate ranging from \$1.00 to \$1.25 per day of ten hours, and carpenters at a salary of \$10 per month.

The only argument being used against Mr. Connell is that he is an operator, or was, before he retired from the coal business. But his opponents will be the direct means of giving employment to several thousand men, while his charitable disposition is well known.

WASHINGTON ECHOES.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune. THE Democratic caucus in session to capture the next house of representatives, there will be a wild scramble for the speakership and other offices of that body.

Among Mr. Richardson's rivals for the speakership will be Representative Hay, of Virginia; Representatives DeArmond and Champ Clark, of Missouri; Representative Eber, of Ohio; and Representative Sulzer, of New York.

If the Northern and Eastern states make a large increase in Democratic representation in the next house as the congressional committee expects them to do, it is possible that the speakership may go to one of them—probably New York.

Captain Wesley R. Andrews, secretary of the Pennsylvania Republican state committee, and also secretary to Senator Penrose, expects to close up the latter's office in Washington next week and take a couple of weeks' rest at his old home in Philadelphia.

Very few members of congress still remain in Washington. The exodus this year has been greater than in years.

Representative Connell and his secretary, Mr. John R. Williams, are here, cleaning up congressional business left over from the adjournment last week.

From the Dunmore Pioneer. Much ado is being made over the so-called public secretary, Mr. Farr. Special stress is laid upon his free text-book law. Indeed, it is a good law, but did the idea originate in Mr. Farr's cranium?

It is "ancient history" here in Dunmore that the first public move hereabouts made in the direction of free text books

was that of the Dunmore Pioneer early in the year 1880. Its founder and editor was at that time an ardent member of the I. O. E. of A., which organization takes a deep interest in the common free schools of this nation.

At that time, State Senator E. B. Robbins, of Westmoreland county, had a bill before the senate covering nearly all the points of free text books.

A district convention of the various camps of P. O. E. of A. was held in Hyde Park (Mr. Farr's home) in the spring of 1880, and the matter was there presented by the Pioneer man, who was instructed to print blank petitions and have them sent out through the Dunmore camp to the various camps for signatures.

The Robbins bill was so bitterly opposed that it never came from the committee; but here in Dunmore our people knew that they were moving in the matter of free text books more than one year before Mr. Farr was sent to Harrisburg. And yet, Mr. Farr poses, and has posed, as the "great originator" of this free text book law.

So much for Mr. Farr's text-book claim.

ALWAYS BUSY. Spring and Summer Oxfords and Boots that content the mind and comfort the feet.

Men's "Always" Busy Oxfords, \$3.00. Ladies' "Melba" Oxfords, \$2.50.

Lewis & Reilly, 114-116 Wyoming Avenue.

SUMMER RESORTS Atlantic City. Hotel Rittenhouse

New Jersey Avenue and the Beach Atlantic City, N. J.

THE AGNEW Directly on the Beach in Chelsea, Atlantic City.

HOTEL RICHMOND. Kentucky Avenue. First Hotel from Beach, Atlantic City.

BRIGANTINE, N. J. Beautiful Lake Wesaiking On a spur of the Allegheny Mountains.

LAKE WESAUKING HOTEL P. O. Apca, Pa. Send for booklet. C. K. HARRIS.

HIGHLAND DELL HOUSE Blue Ridge, Stroudsburg, Pa. Capacity, 150. Delightful, fully situated; enlarged, refurnished, modern, conveniences; electric lights; reasonable rates. Booklets, rates, Apply J. F. FOULKE

PROSPECT HOUSE East Stroudsburg, Pa. (10th season). High elevation; beautiful views; excellent plating; first-class table; refined surroundings. MRS. CHARLES DEARR.

WATER GAP HOUSE NOW OPEN. High elevation, capacity 250; 24 hours from N. Y. on D. L. & W.; beautiful scenery, pure air and water; swimming, golf, tennis. New hydraulic passenger elevator. L. W. BROADHEAD.

CONNECTICUT. "Ho the hither for health and happiness."

Fenwick Hall, Fenwick, Conn. On Long Island Sound, at the mouth of the beautiful Connecticut River. Delightfully cool.

If you wish to visit one of the most charming summer resorts, possessing all modern improvements, together with a delightful combination of seashore and country, and a social atmosphere inviting to refined people, write for particulars to

J. E. Chatfield, 106 East 15th St., N. Y.

First tee and last green of golf course directly in front of hotel. Write for booklet.

Full information and terms furnished

THIRTY-THREE SCHOLARSHIPS \$9574. List of Scholarships. Universities: 2 Scholarships in Syracuse University, at \$432 each. 1 Scholarship in Bucknell University. 1 Scholarship in the University of Rochester.

The Scranton Tribune's Educational Contest. Rules of the Contest. The special rewards will be given to the person securing the largest number of points.

Special Honor Prizes for July. To be given to the two contestants scoring the largest number of points during the month of July: FIRST PRIZE—A BIRD'S-EYE MAPLE WRITING DESK, Value \$12.00.

25 Per Cent. Discount on Straw Hats. All new stock in all shapes including Panamas.

Louis H. Isaacs 412 Spruce Street. See our new line of Negligee Shirts.

Allis-Chalmers Co. Successors to Machine Business of Dickson Manufacturing Co., Scranton and Wilkes-Barre, Pa. Stationary Engines, Boilers, Mining Machinery, Pumps.

Do You Want a Good Education? Not a short course, nor an easy course, nor a cheap course, but the best education to be had. No other education is worth spending time and money on.

Lafayette College Easton, Pa. which offers thorough preparation in the Engineering and Chemical Professions as well as the regular College course.

School of the Lackawanna Scranton, Pa. 30TH YEAR. Certificate admits to many Colleges. Thorough Preparation for Harvard, Yale and Princeton.

Alfred C. Arnold, A. B. For Catalogue and Information Address Box 464

EDUCATIONAL. Announcements. During the summer of 1902 instruction in all the subjects required for admission to the best colleges and scientific schools will be given at Cotuit Cottages, a Summer School of Secondary Instruction, Cotuit, Massachusetts.

Piazza and Lawn Swings. The Largest and most artistic line ever shown in the city.

Summer Furniture. The Largest and most artistic line ever shown in the city.

Hill & Connell 121 Washington Avenue.

ARE YOU? It is a fair question. Are you using the Best Flour? The "SNOW WHITE" is the BEST.

Dickson Mill & Grain Co., Old Phone—Green Ridge, 31-2. New Phone—1133. Scranton.

S. J. Fuhrman & Bro. Store and Window Awnings. Our celebrated Strap Roller Awnings a Specialty. 328 Lackawanna Ave., Scranton, Pa.